

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Appln. No.: 10/553,596

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Examiner: Jeffrey H. MURRAY

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For: SPIRO-PIPERIDINE COMPOUNDS AND MEDICINAL USE THEREOF

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

A petition and the required fee are submitted herewith for a three (3) month extension of time to extend the time period for reply to the Office Action dated April 5, 2007 from July 5, 2007 to October 5, 2007.

In response to the Office Action dated April 5, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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